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LIVE 8 is a concert that takes place in various cities around the world on July 2, part of a global initiative that calls on the world’s richest countries to agree regarding complete debt cancellation and trade justice for the planet's poorest nations. The G8 leaders meet in Gleneagles, Scotland from July 6th-9th. The July 2nd concerts take place in London, Edinburgh, Washington, Berlin, Paris and Rome. Millions of participants will attend.

**When** Live 8 that took place on 2 July 2005.

**Where** It was held at Hyde Park in London England.[South Africa](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Africa) and G8 states Philadelphia U.S.A, Rome, Paris, berlin, Eden, Barrie, Tokyo, Johannesburg and Moscow.

**Why** to bring lots of people together to raise lots of money for the poor people so they can have a life like we have.

**How did it impact?**

**If these promises are kept, with no strings attached, they could save over 4 million lives a year by 2010. You personally helped to make that happen.**

* $50 billion more aid per year by 2010
* AIDS drugs to all those who need them, and care for all AIDS orphans
* debt cancellation for 38 countries, with 18 benefiting this year
* Free, quality primary education and basic healthcare for all children.
* AIDS drugs for all who need them, and care for all AIDS orphans.
* Treatment and bed nets to halve deaths from malaria.
* Vaccinations to eradicate polio.